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Dear Sir:

**SUPPLEMENTAL REISSUE APPLICATION**  
**DECLARATION BY THE ASSIGNEE**

I hereby declare that I am authorized to act on behalf of the following assignee:  
Lam Research Corporation and the title of my position with said assignee is Assistant  
Secretary and Director of Intellectual Property.


I verily believe the original patent to be wholly or partly inoperative or invalid by  
reason of the patentee claiming more or less than he had the right to claim in the patent.

At least one error upon which reissue is based is described as follows:

Claim 1 of the original patent claims a flash lamp, a spectrometer and a data processing element which elements are disclosed to U.S. Patent No. 6,111,634 which results in the patentee claiming more than he had a right to claim.

All errors corrected in this reissue application arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein are of my own knowledge, are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine and imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this declaration is directed.

  
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